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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

IN RE CONNETICS CORP.
SECURITIES LITIGATION

Case No. C 07-02940 SI

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFF'S
SECOND AMENDED CONSOLIDATED
CLASS ACTION COMPLAINT BY
DEFENDANTS CONNETICS CORP.,
JOHN L. HIGGINS, LINCOLN
KROCHMAL, C. GREGORY VONTZ, AND
THOMAS G. WIGGANS**

Date: August 15, 2008
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Dept: Courtroom 10
Judge: Honorable Susan Illston

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS
PLAINTIFF'S SAC

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[PROPOSED] ORDER

The motion to dismiss Plaintiff's Second Amended Consolidated Class Action Complaint ("Second Amended Complaint") brought by defendants Connetics Corp., John L. Higgins, Lincoln Krochmal, C. Gregory Vontz, and Thomas G. Wiggans (collectively, "Defendants") for failure to state a claim pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) and Rule 9(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, 15 U.S.C. 78u-4(b)(3)(A), came on regularly for hearing before the Court on August 15, 2008.

The Court, having considered the papers in support of and in opposition to the motion, and having heard the arguments of counsel, and good cause appearing therefor, HEREBY ORDERS:

Defendants' motion to dismiss is GRANTED. Accordingly, the Amended Complaint against Defendants is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

Dated: _____

The Honorable Susan Illston
United States District Court Judge

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